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HER DAY OF FREEDOM.

By ROSALIE DAVIS.

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Grace Cramer received the news of her aunt's trifling illness with outward manifestations of regret and sympathy, but an inward feeling of exultation which she realized was, to say the least, ungrateful. Aunt Felice had been a patient, untiring, uncomplaining chaperon for one long week.

"Tell Mrs. Cramer I hope she will be feeling very much better when I come back from a drive. Is there anything I could bring her—violets or perhaps roses?"

"Madam cannot endure perfume of any sort when she has one of these attacks, but I shall tell her of your kind thoughtfulness," said the precise, black gowned maid, who had been in Mrs. Cramer's service for fifteen years.

Well trained and capable was this maid, but it never dawned upon her that she should personally see that Mrs. Cramer's order for the carriage was executed. Certainly this sturdy young woman from the west, only daughter of Mrs. Cramer's only brother, looked as if she were quite capable of giving her own orders.

And so it happened that the butler, not without some misgivings, held open the big walnut and bronze doors for Grace to pass out half an hour later and watched her walk briskly down the avenue.

At Thirty-fourth street she paused uncertainly. There were several points of interest she really wanted to see before returning home—the statue of Liberty, the Metropolitan Museum of Art and Grant's tomb. Of course New Yorkers were always bored with such things, but Grace was from the west and frankly interested in sightseeing. And such a morning as it was for sightseeing!

In front of the Waldorf-Astoria stood a line of hansoms. With deliberate steps and keen glances she turned her feet in their direction. The cabbies looked at her expectantly—sharp featured English drivers, heavy jowled and red eyed Irish drivers, a couple who looked as if they had sprung from the ghetto and one who caught and held her glance, smooth and boyish of face, smart and well groomed of coat and hat. She stopped and looked up into his face, shielding her eyes with her long flat purse.

"How much?"

"Where, miss?" said the driver courteously.

"Oh, I don't know just where—by the hour, I guess."

"One-fifty for the first hour, a dollar an hour after that."

"All right. And first we'll go to the museum in the park."

He touched the front of his hat with his gloved fingers, and some rude young men lounging near the carriage starter's booth laughed. Grace started. Perhaps she had better not. Then she glanced up at the young man on the box. His gloved fingers were still against his hat, the doors were invitingly open, and, though his face was quite grave, his eyes danced in a fashion very much in accordance with her own joy in being free from surveillance for a whole day.

She sprang into the hansom, and the doors clattered shut.

"How silly to be afraid!" she murmured. "Why, at home I go everywhere alone—and he is such a nice looking Irish boy."

"The nice looking Irish boy," gathering up his reins, turned his eyes on the group of rude laughing youths near the starter's booth, and in that look was a curious mingling of triumph and reproach.

They bowled through the park and drew up with a flourish in front of the museum. Grace sprang out.

"Oh, it is so much larger than I expected," she said, turning to the driver in frank surprise, not untinged with appeal. "I had no idea there was so much of it. You don't suppose I can begin to see it in half an hour or even an hour?"

The young man leaned respectfully from the box.

"Indeed you can't, miss. I've been here nearly every Sunday for the past three months, and I don't feel as if I'd seen the half of it yet."

"Oh, then you don't work on Sundays?"

The cabby flushed.

"After 6, miss. There's not much doing here on Sundays till dinner time."

"Do they have guides?" she said, waving her hand toward the museum.

"No, miss. But you can buy a catalogue"—

"And spend all my time trying to figure out the catalogue. Goodness, everything is so big in New York! It appalls me." She took a step forward, then turned.

"I don't suppose—would you mind—if you could get some one to hold the horse—could you take me through? It would save so much time if you know the building, and then maybe I could see Grant's tomb too."

The young Irishman swung around on the box. Yes; there, a few rods away, was a policeman. He drove toward the officer, held a whispered conversation and in a few moments returned on foot, leaving the horse in care of a bright looking boy, with the sympathetic policeman in higher authority.

"You'll want to see the Vanderbilt loan collection, a few of the biggest and finest pictures and the Morgan jewels," he said. But they saw much more, and it was fully an hour and a half before they emerged from the museum.

"It isn't hard to see that you have spent your Sunday afternoons to good advantage," said the girl without a touch of patronage, and the young man looked at her gratefully.

"Once I thought I'd like to be a painter, but now"—

He signaled to the lad, who led up the horse.

"Ah," thought the girl as the doors closed in upon her, "probably has a poor mother and some little brothers and sisters to support."

At Grant's tomb he found another obliging youth to hold the horse, and he pointed out to her all the interesting features of the battle scarred relics in the crypt. He drove her out past Claremont and the viaduct, then lifted the window above her head and asked:

"Where next, miss?"

"Home, and I suppose you had better hurry. It is past luncheon time. Fifth avenue."

The tiny window fell with a sharp click. The young man sat on the box so surprised that the girl in the hansom wondered why he had not obeyed her order to hurry. Then with a clatter they dashed down the drive.

"Three hours—that's three-fifty." She handed him a five dollar bill. "And please keep the rest for yourself. I've had such a beautiful time, and you showed me so much more than our own coachman could have done."

The young Irishman bent low to hand her some change.

"I beg pardon, miss, but I belong to an association, and members are not allowed to take more than a quarter for a tip. Now, if you happened to have a silver quarter, particularly a nice shiny quarter, I'd"—

Grace fingered the change in her long blue purse and triumphantly drew out a brand new quarter which glistened in the clear winter sunshine.

"I don't suppose I could have your hansom tomorrow if I"—

"I'm sorry, miss, but I don't know where I will be sent tomorrow. You see, we're posted at different points different days."

"Well, he is the most human thing I've met in this frosty old town," said the pretty westerner to herself as she touched the electric button.

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The Ernest cotillon was at its height. Mrs. Cramer, quite recovered from her illness, watched in radiant triumph the success her husband's niece was scoring.

"Brimming over with personality, don't you know," murmured an old beau, nodding over Mrs. Cramer's shoulder at the lovely girl in her dancing frock of silver gauze. "Actually enjoying herself, isn't she?"

Just then to a rattling twostep half a dozen young men pranced into the room, clad in coaching coats and hats made of paper and carrying long whips, which they snapped as they circled round the great room.

"The horse show figure—how clever!" murmured Mrs. Cramer. "And I hear the favors are exquisite silver brooches and buckles pinned on blue ribbons."

Just then one of the dancers paused before her niece and raised his high paper hat. He was a smooth faced chap, with blue eyes that twinkled merrily into the astonished face of the girl.

"Why, I thought you were"—

"I was for one day," he said as he led the dazed girl into the mazes of the dance. "An election bet I had to settle, and you came along just in the nick of time."

"And you said that you wanted to be a painter."

"So I did," he maintained stoutly. "You'll at least admit I know something about art."

She nodded her head, but flung him a reproachful glance.

"Well, my father decided that I ought to help him build railroads instead; that's all."

"If you can drive spikes as straight as you drive a hansom"—

"It was rather a jolly morning, eh?" he said, with a chuckle. "My, but the boys were sore! They hoped I'd get some old girl on shopping bent, who would keep me outside the shops, where I'd meet everybody I knew, but you rescued me in that park drive."

He was handing her the dainty silver favor, and then he thrust his fingers into his vest pocket and drew out a quarter.

"That's a little the best favor that ever came my way. I am going to keep it"—

"Till you have another fare?"

He turned grave.

"As long as I live."

"I am going home tomorrow," she remarked irrelevantly.

"How odd! And I am going to Denver on business. Great luck, and I guess we've proved that we don't require a chaperon."

Bermuda the Onionless.

If you just go to Bermuda for the onions, you had better stay at home, because all the onions are exported. But if you can make up your mind to do without onions you will have a splendid time. In the first place, there are no railroads and—oh, blessed thought!—no trollers on the islands. You can forget the hurry and the fret and rest tired nerves. You can bathe; you can sail on the wonderfully clear, still water within the rampart of coral; you can fish and look through water glasses thirty feet down on the teeming life under sea. The Bermuda boats are rigged with something which is almost a balloon jib and a leg-o'-mutton, or jib headed mainsail, and they are of deep draft. But they work pretty handily and will stand up and sail fast in rough water, so that you can take them out beyond the protected water without fear.—Travel Magazine.

PAGANINI'S BURIALS.

Remarkable Wanderings of the Famous Musician's Remains.

Paganini died at Nice in 1840, and, although he made confession, he did not receive the sacrament for medical reasons, which the doctor stated in writing. The bishop refused Christian burial to the body, and the son appealed to the Nice tribunal, which upheld the bishop, but a further appeal was made to Rome. During this delay the body, incompletely embalmed, was deposited at the hospital. From thence the coffin was removed to a lazaretto at Villefranche.

After a month the authorities there determined to get rid of it and deposited it by the side of a stream formed by the refuse coming from an oil mill. After some days the Comte de Cessoles, a friend of Paganini, decided to remove the body, which he did by night, having it carried along the seashore in a storm to the Cape St. Hospice.

Here it was buried and remained for two years, when the great violinist's son determined to take his father's body to Genoa to be buried there. The ship, however, was refused admittance at this place, as it had come originally from Marseilles, where there was cholera, so the body was put into a hole in the rock of a tiny uninhabited island near Cannes.

Five years later the body was taken to Gajona, near Parma, and buried there on Paganini's own property. This was in 1845. In 1853 it was exhumed and re-embalmed. In 1876, thirty-six years after the musician's death, the papal court authorized burial in a church at Parma with Christian rites. Twice again was the body exhumed, apparently out of curiosity, and finally a pane of glass was put into the coffin to render visible the face, which had been preserved. —London Spectator.

Leather Furniture.

A never failing method which may be resorted to for the cleaning of leather furniture is the following: Dip a soft woolen cloth in boiling milk and wipe the leather with this, rubbing gently until all the dirt is removed. Wipe dry with a soft flannel. When the leather is clean go over the surface with a piece of flannel on which is spread a tiny bit of prepared wax, about as large as a pea for the surface of a chair. The wax must be spread on the cloth as thin as possible. After the waxing go over the leather with a clean soft flannel, rubbing briskly, but not too hard. Here is the rule for preparing the wax: Put four ounces of beeswax, cut in small bits, in a bowl, place the bowl in a pan of hot water on the back of the stove. When the wax is quite soft take from the fire and beat into it half a cupful of turpentine and one tablespoonful of paraffin oil. If the wax gets cold before ready for use, place it in a pan of hot water for a few minutes.

How Silver Mines Form.

The process by which nature forms her silver mines is very interesting. It must be remembered that the earth's crust is full of water, which percolates everywhere through the rocks, making solutions of elements obtained from them. These solutions take up small particles of precious metal which they find here and there. Sometimes the solutions in question are hot, the water having got so far down as to be set boiling by the internal heat of the globe. Then they rush upward, picking up the bits of metal as they go. Naturally heat assists the performance of this operation. Now and then the streams thus formed, perpetually flowing hither and thither below the ground, pass through cracks or cavities in the rocks, where they deposit their lodes of silver.

Nature the Artisan.

As a weaver nature produces fine work. Certain tree barks and leaves furnish excellent cloth—as, for instance, the famous tapa cloth used in the south sea islands. Nature is a glassmaker too. By discharging her lightning into beds of quartz sand she forms exquisite little pipes of glass. She makes valuable ropes of various kinds—in the shape of tropical vines and creepers, and she is even a lacemaker, as witness the lace trees of the West Indies.

New Style of Paper.

"Right in the middle of a story my paper gave out," said a newspaper woman, "and I sent in haste to the local stationer's around the corner. I wrote a note as follows: 'Please send a pad of yellow paper, 8 by 10, unlined preferable.'

"The maid brought back the pad, on the wrapping of which the proprietor had written: 'Hope this will do. It is yellow and unlined, but we are all out of preferable.'"—New York Press.

STAGE REALISM.

Humor and Courtesy of Irving in a Reply to a Critic.

The late Sir Henry Irving's famous London production of "Henry VIII." ended with the christening of the infant Princess Elizabeth, for which, of course, a large lifelike doll was used instead of a real baby. The play had run a good many nights when one day the actor received a letter of protest from one who made it plain that he was a firm believer in realism on the stage.

"The complete success of 'Henry VIII.' was marred last night," the letter ran, "when the king kissed the baby. The whole house tittered.

"Herewith I offer the hire of one real baby—my own—for the purpose of personating the offspring."

It was a delicate matter for Sir Henry to decline the services of a man's own baby, but with the help of his manager, Mr. Bram Stoker, the famous actor composed a reply which combined courtesy and humor and which has been incorporated in "Personal Reminiscences of Henry Irving."

"Mr. Irving fears," wrote Mr. Stoker, "that there might be some difficulty in making the changes you suggest with regard to the Princess Elizabeth in the play.

"If reality is to be achieved it should of necessity be real reality and not seeming reality, for that we have already on the stage. A series of difficulties then arises, any of which you and your family might find insuperable.

"If your real baby were provided it might be difficult or even impossible for the actor who impersonates King Henry VIII. to feel the real feelings of a father toward it. This would necessitate your playing the part of the king and farther would require that your wife should play the part of Queen Anne Boleyn. This might not suit either of you, especially as in reality Henry VIII. had afterward his wife's head cut off.

"To this your wife might naturally object. But even if she were willing to accept this form of reality and you were willing to accept the responsibility on your part Mr. Irving would, for his own sake, have to object.

"By law if you had your wife decapitated you would be tried for murder. But as Mr. Irving would also be tried as an accessory before the fact he, too, would stand in danger of his life. To this he distinctly objects, as he considers the end aimed at is not worth the risk involved."

An Ill Timed Lecture.

"There was once a minister in Hartford," said Mark Twain, "who had a lot of boys in his Sunday school who were in the habit of staying away on the Sunday when the big steamer City of Hartford docked in the morning. One Sunday the minister came down to Sunday school and found all the boys there. He was profoundly affected. 'Boys,' he said, 'you cannot imagine how much this exhibition of loyalty on your part to the Sunday school affects me. When I came by the dock this morning and saw the City of Hartford there'—

"'Gee whiz!' shouted the boys in chorus. 'Is she in?' And they left in a body."

A Woman's Back

Has many aches and pains caused by weaknesses and falling, or other displacement, of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary specks or dark spots floating before the eyes, gnawing sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable drains from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness.

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H. H. GRANICE, EDITOR.

THE Governor of the State of Colorado, who is a clergyman, recently called the legislators to account in a straight-from-the-shoulder address in which he said: "During the campaign I said to the people of Colorado 'if you elect this Republican ticket from top to bottom we will make such a record for constructive legislation as has never been known before in Colorado.' The people believed me, they did elect our ticket. It is now our business to keep faith with the people." Governor Buchtel then goes on to say that the legislature "has now been in session approximately seven weeks and down to this day we have not made good on a single one of these pledges. * * We must make good or the people will wipe the Republican party off the map at the next election." This address by Governor Buchtel to the legislature is concurred in by J. F. Vivian, Chairman of the State Central Committee. The general impression appears to be that the Rev. Buchtel, who is personally a man of unexceptional character, permitted himself to be used as the stalking horse for a legislative "bad lot." —Oakland Enquirer.

THE unseemly exhibition made by one of the Superior Judges will add to the discredit of San Francisco, and there will be some who will denounce the press for giving prominence to the facts. These same people are the ones who attempt to hold the press responsible for the choice of bad Judges, urging that it is its duty to warn the voter against electing such men to office. When the press does warn the voter, and does so effectively by pointing out the infirmities or worse of the candidate, they denounce the alleged propensity toward personal journalism. The critics of the newspapers are inconsistent and hard to please, as every one knows who has tried to meet the views of those who think they have the good of the community at heart.—Chronicle.

THE State Senate on Thursday last refused by a vote of 15 to 13 to pass the "change of venue" bill which a few days previous had been rushed through the Assembly much to its shame. The object of the vicious bill was to obstruct the law in bringing Abe Rueff and Mayor Schmitz to justice. This action of the Senate came as a surprise to many, for during the present session of the State Legislature its record has not been such as to win the confidence of the people, and it seemed perfectly natural that it should stand in with the boodling element of the metropolis. With all its faults the State Senate has some redeeming qualities.

ABE RUEF who is now a fugitive from justice received another setback Thursday when the State Appellate Court refused to grant him a writ of prohibition which would have taken his case out of Judge Dunne's court. The tactics being pursued by the indicted boss proves that he is in mortal terror of facing a jury from which we would infer that Heney, the special prosecutor, employed by the reputable citizens of graft-ridden San Francisco to bring him to justice, will yet make good. Innocent men do not avoid trial. It is only the guilty ones that do so.

City Councils and The Brewery Men.

The City Trustees are after the saloon keepers of this town with a big stick. At a regular meeting of that august body held Wednesday evening on motion of Trustee Wagnon, which received a second from Trustee Bates, it was decided to publish the form of all saloonkeepers bonds in this town and compel them to live up to its provisions strictly to the letter. The Trustees of Sonoma evidently intend to take the lead over Santa Rosa in regard to anti-saloon legislation, which city is threatening to close the saloons on Sundays and at 8 o'clock in the evening. This threatened action has caused the Brewers Association of San Francisco to meet and pass resolutions of its intention to place a strict boycot on Sonoma county hops.

The resolution begins by stating that the San Francisco association is affiliated with the National Association, which embraces all of the breweries in the United States, and that the Association regards the early closing of saloons "as the first step towards prohibition." Figures taken from the last census report are quoted in an effort to show that prohibition does not decrease drunkenness, "and in view of this fact we consider prohibition laws only a hardship on the liquor trade and the community in which they exist," reads the resolution. The figures given are from Portland, Me., and Milwaukee, Wis., the former a prohibition town and the latter one made famous by its production of the amber liquid. According to the figures mentioned, Portland, with 52,000 population and no saloons had 2,186 arrests for drunkenness in one year, or one out of every 24 inhabitants, while Milwaukee with 313,000 inhabitants and 2,145 saloons had but 2,197 arrests, or one for every 142 inhabitants. The Association also claims that almost a million dollars a year is paid into the hands of the Sonoma county hop growers by the brewers of the United States, the latter fact being the basis of the proposed boycott.

The news; if you want it, take the SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

HAPPENINGS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Both Departments Have a Good Number of Cases Called.

The following matters were disposed of Monday in the Superior Court:

In re community property of Catherine Alton, deceased, continued to April 1.

J. H. Frese vs. U. G. Peterson, continued to March 18.

In re application of Thomas Maclay and P. H. Atkinson, Trustees for settlement and discharge of their trust, account settled and allowed; trustees allowed $125 for both.

C. S. Miller vs. E. G. Wilt, continued to March 11.

L. Consoli vs. Daniel Quinlan, continued to March 11.

Moore vs. Moore, restored to calendar.

Sebastopol Light and Power Co. vs. S. A. Meeker, opinion filed.

In the estate of George W. Petray petition for the order authorizing executrix to convey real estate granted.

In the estate of Mary C. Vanoni, deceased, petition for order of sale of real estate granted; bond $2500.

In estate of William H. Dewey, deceased, will admitted and letters testamentary issued to Rosaline M. Dewey without bonds.

In the estate of Theodore G. Hahmann, deceased. continued to March 6.

In estate of J. E. Davis, deceased, will admitted and letters testamentary issued to John M. Davis and Harriett Adda Allingham, without bonds.

In the estate of Mary Frideger, an incompetent, letters of guardianship issued to Daniel S. Frideger; bond of $500.

Estates of William R. Dryden, Robert F. Cleveland et al. and Anna W. Jenkins, continued to March 11.

Estate of Nellie Butts, a minor, final account settled and allowed.

Return of sale of real property in estate of Samuel Floyd McReynolds et al. minors, confirmed.

Letters of administration issued to Wayne W. Whitehill, in the estate of Clarence Pepper, et al., minors; bond $5000 to each minor.

Letters of guardianship issued to Sadie R. Burns with bond at $700 to each minor in estate of Elizabeth F. Burns et al., minors.

In estate of Mary E Davis, an incompetent, letters of guardianship issued to John M. Davis and Harriet Adda Allingham; bond $3200.

Estate of Owen Burns, deceased, return of sale of personal property confirmed.

Cash In City Treasury.

City Treasurer Burris at the meeting of the City Trustees held Wednesday evening reported the following city funds in his hands:

City Hall	$15,500 00
Equipment	327 34
Bond and Interest	1,057 95
General	1,779 19.8
	$18,664 48.8

Wellington Coal.

John Patto & Sons have just received a car load of Wellington coal. The same can be had at L. H. Green's lumber yard.

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TAXES.

Poll, road and personal property taxes for 1907 are now due and must be paid to the undersigned or to Frank E. Dowd, County Assessor of Sonoma county, Santa Rosa.

These taxes will become delinquent on and after July 1, 1907. A settlement now will save the penalty which attaches to all such taxes remaining unpaid after above date.

M. P. AKERS,
Deputy Assessor.

Sonoma, March 9, 1907.

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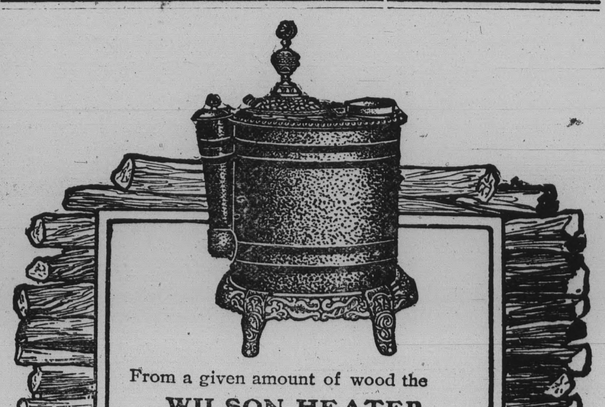

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Wanted--Lady to advertise our goods locally. Several weeks home work. Salary $12 per week, $1.00 a day for expenses. Saunders Co., Department W, 46–48 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Ill. *

Dr. T. Antonio Nufer, V. D. S., will again stand his stallions at the Chase place, Sonoma, every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week, commencing Monday, March 11th and closing July 1, 1907.

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H. Van Meter, the Glen Ellen phonograph man, is in Sonoma, at Union Hall, and will give demonstrations each afternoon and evening for the next few days and invites all interested to call and hear phonographs that actually reproduce tones, and so cheap that the poorest family can afford to own one. Terms easy. Come in and hear them.

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SONOMA VALLEY WOMAN'S CLUB

Elect Officers For Another Year—Will Give Entertainment in April.

At the weekly meeting of the Woman's Club, held on Friday of last week, the new officers for another year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Robert A. Poppe; first vice president, Mrs. P. N. Stofen; second vice president, Mrs. Mrs. Amelia Bates; recording secretary, Mrs. John Wagner; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Watters; treasurer, Meta Stofen; directors, Mrs. A. D. Lowell, Mrs. G. Breitenbach, Mrs. Marie Chase.

The following were also chosen chairmen of committees to carry out the sectional work of the club:

Plaza—Mrs. G. H. Hotz.
Educational—Mrs. T. A. Lewis.
Music—Mrs. F. Clewe.
Literary—Mrs. F. T. Duhring.
Forestry—Miss Minnie Cook.
Civics—Mrs. B. F. Campbell.
Program—Mrs. R. P. Hill.

The meeting was attended by fifty of the eighty or ninety members, and it was decided before adjourning to give an entertainment some time next month.

Scarcity of Teachers.

Superintendent of Schools De Witt Montgomery reported to the Board of Education at its recent meeting in Santa Rosa that there are seven district schools in the county without teachers. Heretofore the supply of "school marms" has always exceeded the demand and this is the first time possibly in the history of the county that positions in our public schools have gone a-begging. The cause of this changed condition is said to be the small salaries paid, which has caused the "school marms" to embrace matrimony or seek other and more lucrative employment.

County Assessment Has Now Commenced.

On Monday last County Assessor Frank E. Dowd and his corps of deputy district Assessors commenced the assessment of property all over the county. Montgomery Akers, the jolly and amiable deputy for Sonoma and Glen Ellen Townships, is in the field again this year and will get around and see everybody in due time. State and road poll taxes are now due and payable. These will be collected by Mr. Akers while making his rounds as Deputy Assessor.

At Congregational Church Next Sunday.

Mr. C. E. Wingate of Santa Rosa will speak in the Congregational church next Sunday morning and evening, and at the Sunday school. Mr. Wingate is a man of wide experience and an inspiring speaker. Come and hear his message. He speaks from the standpoint of a layman who has led a life of Christian service in the civil war, in St. Louis, Chicago and Minneapolis and on the Pacific Coast.

Funeral of Victim of Dynamite.

The funeral of Guiseppe Battaglia, the unfortunate blockmaker who lost his life near Melitta by the accidental discharge of dynamite last week, took place here Sunday. The funeral was conducted by the undertaking firm of Lafferty & Smith of Santa Rosa and was largely attended. The funeral services were held in St. Francis' church by Rev. Father Leahy.

New Advertisements.

The attention of our readers is called to the new advertisements which appear in this issue. Among these is that of Eugene Oppliger who has removed his watchmaking and jewelry store into the Clerici news depot building, occupying one side of the same. His stock of watches, jewelry, etc., is displayed in attractive show cases. Mr. Oppliger, who is also an expert watch repairer, should receive the encouragement at the hands of our people which his enterprise deserves.

Aug. Clerici, who is conducting an ice cream parlor in connection with his news depot, will make a specialty of serving delicious ice cream and ice cream soda to his patrons. He has made many improvements to his place recently, which has become very popular with the general public. His news depot, as usual, handles all the city papers and popular magazines.

The Coming Dance at Union Hall.

Much interest is being manifested by the party-going people of the valley in the grand ball which will be given at Union Hall on Saturday evening, March 23d. The music will be furnished by the Ideal Orchestra of Oakland, of which R. W. Olsen, a young society man of that city, is the leader, and who has many friends in the valley. The price of tickets. admitting gentleman and ladies, has been placed at 50 cents. Quite a number of party-going people from Glen Ellen, El Verano and other near-by towns have signified their intention of being present, as the dance music will be the best that has been furnished in the valley for a long time.

Native Sons and the Fourth of July.

At the regular monthly meeting of Sonoma Parlor, No. 111, N. S. G. W., held Monday evening, the proposition to celebrate the coming Fourth of July was received with favor. With that object in view a committee composed of Peter G. Keil, H. W. Gottenberg and Michael Comming was appointed to interview the members of other civic societies and the public in general in regard to the matter. This committee will make its report at the next regular meeting of the Native Sons the first week in April.

Mrs. P. Lorenzo Meets With Serious Accident.

Mrs. Lorenzo, wife of P. Lorenzo, owner of the Sonoma House property, while out walking on her ranch in the western suburbs of town, last Tuesday, slipped and fell, breaking the left leg between the ankle and knee. The broken limb was set by Doctor Thomson.

The accident will deprive Mrs. Lorenzo of the use of the left leg for some time as she is a very heavy woman, to which fact the accident is attributed.

Invest in Sonoma Property

Adrien Rouquette of San Francisco, who recently purchased the French laundry business from P. Loustalet, has bought from Peter Yenni the house and lot on Napa street, now occupied by Conrad Futterer, the tailor. The lot has a frontage on Napa street of 75 feet. The price paid for the property is said to have been $2500.

Serious Accident at El Verano.

On Monday last Miss Helen Riser, daughter of Frank A. Riser, manager of the Pacific Improvement Company at El Verano, was thrown from a fractious colt and had a rib fractured. The young lady's injuries were attended to by Dr. Leix of this place and at last accounts his patient was resting easy.

Order of the Eastern Star

Mrs. Josephine Lavin of Santa Rosa, District Deputy Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, paid an official visit to the Valley of the Moon Chapter of this place last Tuesday evening.

WANTED—10 men in each state to travel, distribute samples of our goods and tack signs. Salary $85 per month; $3 per day for expenses. SAUNDERS Co., Department P, No. 46 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Ills.

CONVICTED OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

Man Drives Horse Nearly to Death and Is Haled Before Judge Small.

Oscar Rasseart, a visitor in this valley from San Franoisco, on Sunday last, hired a horse and buggy for the day from W. T. Wiegert of El Verano and in the course of a few hours nearly drove the poor animal to death.

Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan's attention was called to the matter and he promptly swore out a warrant in Judge Small's Court against the offender, charging him with cruelty to animals. Later on he served the warrant on Rasseart and placing him under arrest haled him before the Judge, who fined the offender $15, which he paid.

Later on the owner of the horse and buggy, which had been badly damaged by the reckless driving of Rasseart, compelled him to pay over another $15 for repairs.

It is hoped that the arrest and conviction of Rasseart will prove a warning to those visitors to this valley who are in the habit of hiring rigs from our livery stables and driving the poor animals hitched to them nearly to death. During the past two or three years several arrests have been made by Officer Ryan for similar offenses, which have become quite frequent in this valley since it became a summer resort for city people, many of whom seem to be utterly devoid of feeling for the brute creation.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Jas. Pieratt of Glen Ellen was in town Thursday.

Peter Yenni visited San Francisco Thursday on business.

Fritz Band of Oakland was a guest at the Garibaldi House Sunday.

R. W. Olsen and Frank Engler of Oakland were guests of Sonoma friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cook of Denver, Colorado, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall.

Mrs. P. Yenni and Mrs. A. M. Thomson were shopping in San Francisco last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nauman of San Francisco visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Pauline McMullen, who has been quite ill the past few weeks, is up and around again.

Frank Engler, Doc Engler and R. W. Olson of Oakland visited friends and relatives here last Sunday.

Messrs. Austin and Edgar Keogh visited their mother, Mr. R. J. Keogh, at this place last Sunday.

Miss May R. Ahern and Miss Louse Bechler of Santa Rosa attended the recent opening at Lawrence Villa.

Attorney Robt. A. Poppe attended to legal business in the Superior Court at Santa Rosa Monday.

Phil Rossi of the American-Swiss Hotel, El Verano, was in town Wednesday circulating among his friends.

S. Ciucci of the Toscano Hotel is enlarging the capacity of his hostelry by the addition of a number of sleeping apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Koenig of the Union Hotel were visiting relatives in Fruitvale and San Francisco the fore part of the week.

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COUNTY NEWS ITEMS.

The Petaluma basketball team of the Petaluma High School played the Ukiah team on Saturday at Ukiah. The game was won by Ukiah with a score of 13 to 5.

Mrs. J. W. Kelly, an aged and well-known resident of Sebastopol, the other day suffered from a severe hemorrhage from the head and nose. For many hours the flow of blood could not be stopped. Mrs. Kelly is now getting along nicely. In the opinion of the attending physician the hemorrhage probably warded off an apolectic stroke.

The Petaluma Grange has endorsed and adopted the resolution passed by other granges of the county condemning this county's representatives in the State Legislature for having voted for the expenditure of public funds in the employing of a horde of useless attaches, and condemning the legislature in general for its overt acts in the same direction. The resolutions passed by Petaluma Grange are very strong ones and handles the matter without gloves.

One of the biggest will contests that has come before the Superior Court of this county for some time will be that involving the will of the late Mrs. Teresa Wensinger of Freestone There is to be a big array of legal talent in the suit, including Garret McErnerny, representing Archbishop Riordan, Heller & Powell, representing the executors of the will, the Union Trust Company; J. Rollo Leppo and William F. Cowan, representing the contestant; Louis J. O'Farrell, J. Roach representing himself, and other heirs and those interested will be represented.

Mrs. Catharina Petersen died very suddenly at her home in Santa Rosa Monday night. While her husband, Charles Petersen, and daughter, Miss Anna Florence Petersen, were temporary up town the summons came. When they returned home about 9:40 o'clock, she was found lying on the floor dead. She had evidently fallen forward on her face from the chair in which she had been seated. She had been subject to sudden attacks of illness for some time. She was about in her usual health on Monday.

At the meeting of the Board of Trustees of Petaluma held on Monday night it was decided to submit to the people of that town on the occasion of the election on April 8 the question of pubic ownership of water, gas and electric light plants.

Last October Grand Secretary Mrs. A. Thornhill of the Druidic Circle of California, while on her way from Novato to Petaluma on an official visit, lost a satchel. The satchel contained a mileage book on the Southern Pacific, regalias and other valuables. She advertised, but failed to get her property. A few days ago, through the Southern Pacific, she learned that the railroad book was in the possession of a Petaluma man named E. V. Rush. Mrs. Thornhill visited the Rush ranch and claimed her property. Rush said he purchased the book from a stranger. Rush, however, had to pay $20 for mileage he had used out of the book.

James Clement Shane, son of the late Adam Shane of Windsor, and a member of a well-known pioneer family of this county, died Monday night near Glen Ellen. The deceased was born in Santa Rosa forty-three years and eleven months ago.

Robert Rogers, the youth who robbed his employer, near Petaluma, a week ago, taking jewelry, money, etc., was held for trial in the Superior Court on Saturday and was returned to jail in Santa Rosa. Rogers has practically confessed to the robbery, but it is said offers somewhat of an excuse on the ground that he took the things as his employer owed him some wages.

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EASTER COMES EARLY THIS YEAR

Don't wait until the last minute. Other Spring and Summer Goods arriving daily .....

The Sonoma Racket Store

THE CITY TRUSTEES IN MARCH SESSION

Bond of Saloon Keepers to be Published — Bills Paid—Other Matters.

The City Trustees met in regular monthly session last Wednesday evening, a full Board being present.

The minutes of the previous meeting having been read and approved the following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

Sonoma Valley Co., electric light	36.40
Jos. B. Small, salary, etc	25.90
James Weyl, pruning trees	8.00
H. Weyl, pruning trees	11.00
H. C. Lutgens, pruning trees	12.00
James H. Albertson, salary	15.00
Mrs. L. V. Emparan, water	15.00
F. Clewe, merchandise	5.15
Wm. Green estate, lumber	23.22
L. S. Simmons, merchandise	1.25
J. H. Pooler, cleading fire ap	3.00
T. Duhring, merchandise	27.87
L. Maffi, hauling gravel	61.80
A. Lutgens, City Hall Fund, on acct.	
Architect services	100.00

The bill of M. Topete was placed on file.

A rebate of $3.75 on taxes was granted E. G. Guyot, the same being erroneously charged to him.

On motion of Trustee Breitenbach the contract with the Sonoma Valley Electric Light Company was continued for another month.

The street committee was authorized to expend $25 for gravel for the public streets.

On motion of Trustee Wagnon, seconded by Trustee Breitenbach the Cemetery and Legislative Committees were authorized to report on revising the ordinance relative to Mountain Cemetery at next regular meeting.

On motion of Trustee Wagnon, seconded by Trustee Bates, the City Clerk was instructed to have the form of the bond given by all saloon keepers published four times in the SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE, the city official paper, as a legal advertisement and any violation of said bond shall lead to its forfeiture.

On motion of Trustee Wagnon, seconded by Trustee McDonell the City Clerk was instructed to notify the Sonoma City Water Works Company to lower all water pipes where they cross under the several open ditches which meander through the town.

The Board then stood adjourned.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Don't forget the grand ball at Union Hall, Saturday evening, March 23rd.

Tony Trabucco and Archie McAllister visited Billy Chase Saturday and Sunday. Tony and Archie are well-known teamsters and did heroic work in the big fire.

Jack Daughney, the well-known resort man of El Verano, was in town Wednesday afternoon. He reports that Summer guests have already commenced to make their appearance there.

A. W. Higgins, the lineman of the S. P. Company, who came near being electrocuted on Napa street on Friday of last week, is slowly improving at his home in Oakland. That he escaped instant death is a miracle as the wire of the Sonoma Valley Electric Company, which caused the accident, carried a voltage of 2300.

Mrs. G. H. Hotz entertained at cards at her Broadway home on Friday evening of last week. Sixteen guests sat at the tables. The winners were awarded prizes as follows: Mrs. P. N. Stofen, ladies first prize, a handsome hand-made handkerchief. Henry F. Bates, gentleman's first prize, coat hanger. Miss Meta Stofen and Mr. Lee were awarded the booby prizes.

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Blue Flame, Gasoline and Gas Stoves : : : :

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Quaker Ranges, Oliver Chilled and Steel Plows, Garden Hose, Spray Hose, Wine Hose, Builders' Hardware, Fishing Tackle, Tools and Cutlery, American Field Fence . . .

S. H. HAVEN

SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., March 9, 1907

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HOW I CAME TO EAT HUMBLE PIE

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While making a journey recently I fell in with a married couple who for urbanity, cheerfulness, kindliness, indeed every trait calculated to make their own and other lives pleasant, beat anything I had ever met.

"I have been trying," I said to the gentleman, "to fix in my mind what your calling may be. I can't quite make you out. You are neither a lawyer, a doctor nor a clergyman. Nor do you appear to be a man of business."

The gentleman pulled a card from his pocket and handed it to me. I read:

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I looked from the card to the face of the man with surprise and inquiry.

"It is surprising," he said, "that you should be surprised. There is no profession in the world calculated to do so much good as ours. It is the only profession except medicine, of which it is in part a branch, that brings comfort out of suffering. There are matrimonial brokers and divorce lawyers. Why not peacemakers?"

"What is your clientele?"

"A wife is wretched from some disagreement with her husband. A husband is wretched from some disagreement with his wife. A daughter or a son is making his or her parents miserable either from extravagance, bad influences or an unsuitable match. We get at the cause or causes of these disagreements, then set about removing them. In this way we restore amicable relations. A better name for our profession perhaps would be 'repairers of fractured affections.' When the mechanism in which the gem love is set becomes weak or broken we make the necessary repairs."

"But how do you accomplish results?" I asked, with growing wonder, yet struck by the plausibleness of the man's words.

"That will best be explained by giving you a few instances. A wife recently came to us whose husband was apparently losing his love for her, his home and his children. Mrs. Bliss, under pretense of being a former schoolmate of the wife, made the family a visit. She soon discovered that the wife was turning the house into a prayer meeting. It required the greatest tact for her to convince the deluded woman of her error. A brief season of gayety was prescribed. It worked to a charm. The husband soon tired of it, and when he did he found his home more to his taste. Mrs. Bliss possessed great skill or she could never have effected a cure in this case, for the lady in question was a veritable Puritan.

"A father came to me and engaged my professional services in the case of his son, who was bent on marrying a girl whom the father did not wish him to marry. I did not believe my client was giving me the real cause of his objection, and I set about discovering it. Diagnosis is as much the principal part of our profession as of medicine. I found that the cause of disease in this case was in my client himself. He had injured the father of the girl, who had been his friend. After much difficulty I convinced him of his fault and persuaded him to go to his friend and make reparation. After this there was no objection to the wedding and two lovers were made happy.

"And you were well paid?"

"Very well, indeed. There are no troubles—not even at times sickness and death—so dreaded as those we remove. In this case I have just mentioned every member of both families was so delighted that, in addition to our fee of $100, all sent us checks aggregating $2,600."

"Do you keep a record of your cases?"

"Certainly, and it is now a long one. We also classify them. We have thus far on our list 425 husbands and wives reunited after separation and seventy-four after legal divorce and thirty-seven sons and eighteen daughters who had left home in enmity restored. Besides these, we have a great many cases which we put down under the head of scattering. These scattering cases are very numerous."

"I see," I said, then, after some thought, continued:

"I would like your services in a case of my own. My wife has recently become infatuated with a little whipper-snapper ten years her junior, neglecting me and her children. If you will restore her to her senses I will give you the biggest fee you have ever had."

Within a fortnight, by previous arrangement with me, Mrs. Bliss obtained a place with my wife as a seamstress. I not only wished the healer to influence her, but to make a note of her clandestine meetings with her lover.

At the end of a week Mrs. Bliss disappeared from my house, and I received the following note from her husband:

We regret to inform you that in your case we have found our first absolute defect. It would be impossible to convince a man so utterly unworthy of a noble woman, so insensible to his own defects, that in him lies the cause of his domestic wound. Your wife has confessed that her supposed cavalier is really her nephew, whom you have never till recently seen. She has been pretending to flirt with him, hoping to pique you and bring you back to your true allegiance. Inclosed you will find your shortcomings listed. We would advise you to read them over every day for a month.

I took Mr. Bliss' advice and at the end of a week ate humble pie and paid a large fee for the privilege of being convinced that it was my duty to do so. But the healers earned their money.

F. A. MITCHEL.

A SOURED CONDUCTOR.

Incident That Changed His Theory of Street Car Etiquette.

It was O'Brien's first day on the job. He had served his probation term as conductor on the Sixth avenue line and after a few days of anxious waiting had been told to report for duty the following morning. Ten o'clock found him bound downtown on the poop deck of a yellow car with a bunch of change in his pocket and a heart full of pride and hope.

O'Brien had ideas of his own regarding how a conductor should act in the performance of his duties. He had read from time to time stories in the newspapers which reflected severely upon the manners of the man who pulls the bell. He determined to be an exception to what seemed to be the general rule. He would be uniformly kind and polite to old and young and never lose his temper. Perhaps, he mused, by following this course he might some day get to be superintendent.

The trip from the car barns down to Forty-second street was comparatively without incident, save that the motorman's feelings were outraged and his soul irrevocably lost because O'Brien refused to ring the starting bell until an alighting passenger had both feet safely on the ground or an incoming one was well within the car.

Down in the shopping district O'Brien saw his first chance to put his real theory into practice. A woman on the crosswalk signaled for the car to stop. Beside her was a little girl of perhaps six years. In the woman's arms was an infant still in swaddling clothes, with tiny flaxen curls peeping out from under a cap. The woman started to help the little girl up the step. O'Brien sprang forward, seized the child and swung her easily to the platform.

"Now the baby, ma'am," he said. And before the woman could utter a word of protest he had snatched the infant from her arms, held it closely with his left arm, reached down his right, assisted the woman up and pushed her and the girl gently forward, following close behind after giving the starting bell. It was all done so suddenly the woman had no time to speak. Then she tried to say something, but her voice failed, and almost bursting with suppressed laughter she dropped into a seat.

Then for the first time O'Brien noticed that the baby he carried was of unusually light weight. He also noticed that every passenger in his car wore grins of varying dimensions. With a muttered exclamation he almost threw into the woman's lap one of those "life sized" dolls which children like to take "out shopping" and which their mothers invariably have to carry home.

O'Brien flew for the back platform and partly relieved his feelings by savagely kicking at a small boy who was stealing a ride. They say now O'Brien is the worst tempered conductor on the line.—New York Press.

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POPULAR DANCES.

The Origin or the Significance of Their Names.

The names of popular dances have in most cases a very interesting origin or signification.

The position taken up by the dancers gave the name to the quadrille, which is literal French for "a little square," while country dance has no connection with rustic gymnastics, but is simply a corruption of the French contre danse, which has reference to the position of the couples opposite to each other during the dance.

The lancers derived its name from the fact that this variation of the quadrille was originally improvised by a company of lancers for their own amusement while seated in their saddles.

The polka is a Polish dance, and its name comes from the Bohemian word polka, meaning half, and refers to the half step which occurs in this lively measure, of which the more graceful schottish is a variation, both names, like that of the national dance of Poland—the mazourka—being native terms.

The short steps peculiar to the old time favorite, the minuet, gave the dance its name, the Latin for "small" being minutus.

The waltz, again, owes its name to its characteristic movement, the German waltzen, meaning to revolve, expressing the circling motion of the dancers.

The Roger de Coverley is named after its originator, while the less familiar dance known as the tarantella is so called because its vigorous movements were supposed to be a certain antidote to the poison of a noxious spider at Taranto, in Italy, where the dance is highly popular.

The evolutions of the dancer sufficiently explain the term reel. Jig is from the French gigue, and breakdown is a term from across the Atlantic and refers to the final rout before the breakup of a free and easy dancing party.—London Telegraph.

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ROBERT BURNS.

The Poet's First Love and His Verses In Her Praise.

Robert Burns, the Scottish poet, was born at Mount Oliphant, Jan. 25, 1759, near Ayr, in a clay built cottage reared by his father's own hands. When a lad of eighteen the family moved to Lochlea. His first three or four years at Lochlea were still with the poet times of innocence, and "his conduct was governed by the strictest rules of virtue and modesty." At last he set his affections on a young woman named Ellison Begbie, the daughter of a small farmer, and asked her to be his wife, but he could not prevail on her to marry him, and this disappointment had a malign influence over the poet. Long afterward, when he had seen much of the world, Burns spoke of this girl as of all those on whom he ever fixed his fickle affections, the one most likely to have made a pleasanter partner for life. It was to her he addressed the pure and beautiful love lyric "Mary Morison," and in these lines the lyric genius of Burns was for the first time undeniably revealed:

Yestreen when to the trembling string
The dance gaed through the lighted ha'
To thee my fancy took its wing.
I sat, but neither heard nor saw.
Though this was fair and that was braw
And yon the toast of a' the town.
I sighed and said among them a',
"Ye are nae Mary Morison."

Oh, Mary, canst thou wreck his peace
Wha for thy sake would gladly dee?
Or canst thou break that heart of his
Whase only fault is loving thee?
If love for love thou wilt not gie,
At least be pity to me shown.
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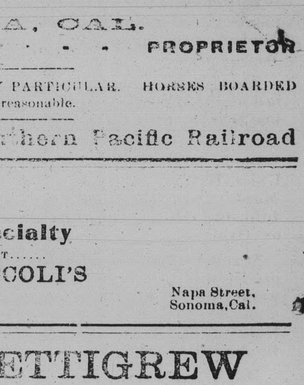

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